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FROM EASUM

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: PGOV NI  
SUBJECT: OBASANJO VISIT: CONVERSATION WITH HARRIMAN

1. CONVERSATION AT LUNCH SEPTEMBER 14 WITH ANDY YOUNG  
AND LESLIE HARRIMAN IN NEW YORK PRODUCED FOLLOWING  
POSSIBLE ACTIVITIES FOR OBASANJO'S SCHEDULE IN NEW YORK  
OCTOBER 13-14 AFTER ARRIVAL FROM WASHINGTON AT 10:45 AM  
AND MOTORCADE TO CITY:

A) ADDRESS GENERAL ASSEMBLY'S THURSDAY MORNING SESSION  
IF POSSIBLE TO FIT IN BEFORE LUNCH BREAK. HOWEVER  
HARRIMAN WOULD PREFER FIRST SPEECH IN AFTERNOON.

B) LUNCH HOSTED BY WALDHEIM.

C) THURSDAY EVENING RECEPTION AT WALDORF FOR 500-750  
PERSONS, HOSTED BY AMBASSADORS YOUNG AND HARRIMAN OR  
PERHAPS BY NIGERIAN-AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,  
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D) PRIVATE DINNER FOR 32 HOSTED BY AMBASSADOR YOUNG  
AT HIS APARTMENT.

E) FRIDAY EVENING RESERVED FOR ACTIVITIES WITH  
NIGERIAN COMMUNITY.

2. HARRIMAN SAID OBASANJO WANTED ABOVE ALL TO MEET WITH BLACK AMERICANS. HARRIMAN THOUGHT THIS SHOULD BE INCLUDED IN NEW YORK PORTION OF VISIT AS WELL AS IN WASHINGTON.

3. HARRIMAN WAS NONCOMMITTAL ON CFR LUNCH INVITATION FOR FRIDAY. WE WILL HAVE TO EXPLORE THIS ONE SOONEST IN LAGOS. I UNDERSTAND GARBA TOLD HERSKOVITS THAT OBASANJO WANTS TO DO THIS.

4. WE DID NOT DISCUSS POSSIBLE VISIT TO PORT AUTHORITY.

5. I REVIEWED TENTATIVE WASHINGTON SCHEDULE. HARRIMAN SAID IT SOUNDED FINE.

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